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Title: FEEDTHROUGH APPARATUS WITH NOBLE METAL-COATED

LEADS

AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir,

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 10, 2006, please enter the following Amendment. Any deficiencies may be credited to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.